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Van Zeeland told me last evening that Leopold was notified by telephone of parliamentary action enabling King resume functions and that as result Cabinet meeting which Van Zeeland had just attended, Leopold had decided to return to Brussels by air Saturday July 22.

At official Te Deum this morning at which Prince Merode represented King, there was enthusiastic demonstration among the Gillyans present all shouting "Vive Le Rio."

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